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SUBJ: PAK/AFGHAN RELATIONS: SOME NEW WRINKLES?

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SUMMARY: PAK PRESS HAS RECENTLY PLAYED UP REPORTS OF CLASHES WITHIN AFGHANISTAN. QUETTO RADIO IS BEGINNING HAZARA LANGUAGE SERVICES. PESHAWAR POLICE REPORTEDLY ARRESTED 44 AFGHANS FOR ENTERING PAKISTAN ILLEGALLY. END SUMMARY.

1. LOCAL PRESS HAS RECENTLY CARRIED SEVERAL ACCOUNTS OF ARMED CLASHES BETWEEN AFGHAN TRIBESMEN AND ARMY TROOPS WITHIN AFGHANISTAN. PAKISTAN TIMES FEBRUARY 28 FRONTPAGED APP ARTICLE ENTITLED "KABUL ARMY SUFFERS HEAVY LOSSES" WHICH REPORTED CLASH BETWEEN ZADRAN TRIBESMEN AND ARMY WEST OF KHOST IN PAKTIA PROVINCE ON FEBRUARY 22. ACCOUNT, BASED ON "REPORTS RECEIVED FROM ACROSS THE BORDER" CLAIMS 1,000 MAN LASHKAR (WAR PARTY)

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OF TRIBESMEN ENGAGED DETACHMENT OF KABUL TROOPS NEAR

GANDA KHULA PASS AND INFLICTED HEAVY CASUALTIES ON THEM. TROOPS REPORTEDLY CALLED IN REINFORCEMENTS FROM GARDEZ CANTONMENT WHO RUSHED TO SCENE, SUPPORTED BY ARMoured CARS.

2. EARLIER CLASH, ARTICLE CONTINUES, TOOK PLACE IN JAAJI MAIDAN NORTH OF KHOST ON FEBRUARY 18 BETWEEN MANGLA TRIBESMAN AND GOVERNMENT TROOPS AND RESULTED IN TROOP CASUALTIES OF 15 KILLED AND MANY INJURED WHILE TRIBESMEN LOST THREE KILLED.

3. ACCOUNT ATTRIBUTES AS A CAUSE OF CLASH OF TRIBESMEN TERMINATION TO ALLOW "KABUL RULLERS" SUPPRESS THEM AND DEPRIVE THEM OF THEIR LGEITIMATE RIGHTS. ON THEIR PART "KABUL RULERS" HAVE FAILED " IN VIEW OF MOUNTING TENSIONS AFY GRAC SITUATION" TO "CONTROL ZOIBAL UNREST."

4. IN WHAT TO US AUGURS ANOTHER VOICE IN THE PROPAGANDA WAR, RADIO PAKISTAN'S QUETTA STATION ON MARCH 1 WILL BEGIN DAILY BROADCASTS IN THE HAZARA DIALECT. ACCORDING TO PAKISTAN TIMES FEBRUARY 27, BROADCASTS WILL RUN FROM 7:15 PM TO 8:00 PM IN MEDIUM WAVE. THE PROGRAMS, REPORTED AS "EXTERNAL SERVICE" WILL CONSIST OF RECITATION FROM THE KORAN, NEWS, COMMENTARY AND MUSIC. GIVEN THE "EXTERNAL" BILLING AND FACT THAT THERE ARE FEW, IF ANY HAZARA DIALECT SPEAKERS IN PAKISTAN, SERVICE MUST BE ASSUMED TO BE DIRECTED TOWARD HAZARA SPEAKERS IN AFGHANISTAN.

5. PESHAWAR POLICE HAVE ROUNDED UP FORTY-FOUR AFGHAN NATIONALS WHO HAD ENTERED PAKISTAN ILLEGALLY, URDU LANGUAGE NAWA-I-WAQT REPORTED FEBRUARY 27.
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